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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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- **\$770** Statutory basic filing fee.
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In re-Application of)
Daniele PIANEZZE) Confirmation No. **1167**
U.S. Patent Application No. 10/822,146) Group Art Unit: **3749**
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For: **ELECTRIC GAS LIGHTER WHICH CAN BE PRODUCED WITH ANY NUMBER OF
OUTPUT TERMINALS, AND RELATIVE PRODUCTION METHOD**

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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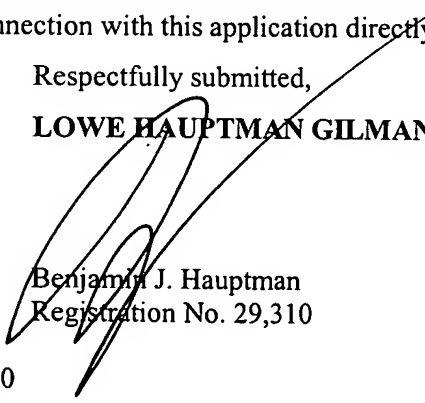
This is in response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated June 24, 2004, the period for response to which is set to expire on August 24, 2004. Submitted herewith are the following:

- Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Statutory Basic Filing Fee (\$770.00)
- Late Declaration Surcharge (\$130.00)
- Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts
- Priority Document

Attached hereto is a credit card payment form in the amount of **\$900.00**, which covers the fees for the above listed items. Please charge any deficiencies in the enclosed fees to Deposit Account 07-1337 and direct any inquiries in connection with this application directly to the undersigned.

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